

pleasing way described the various successes connected with the event. Said that Dr. Cheney, the delegate to our Conference, had three years in which to report. Hoped he would be with us next year.

The delegate to the F. C. B. Conference of New Brunswick, Rev. J. I. Porter—

Spoke of the cordial reception accorded him; the efficient work of the Conference; his pleasure to enjoy the visit. Would not further detain the Conference, as our esteemed brother, Rev. J. McLeod, the delegate from that body, would say all that was needful on the subject.

The Report of Committee on Free Communion Bodies was given by Rev. J. I. Porter, its Chairman, who said:

That the several Committees met at the time and place of the Centennial Conference for deliberation, and came to the following conclusion: Not to hold a Convention this year, but arrange for one as soon as practicable, and request the respective bodies to reappoint the Committees for this purpose, &c.

Resolved, That the Committee—Rev. J. I. Porter and Rev. W. C. Weston—be continued, and the report of progress accepted.

The Report of the Harmony Quarterly Meeting, was read by the Clerk, Rev. S. N. Royal, as follows:

To the General Conference of Free Baptists, convened at Caledonia, September 26th, 1890.

CANNING CHURCH.—This church has been without a pastor nearly 3 years, and without regular preaching for 2 years. Though somewhat disheartened, they are not wholly discouraged. It is more than possible they will soon have the services of Bro. F. Babcock. Last October, aided by a visit from Bro. W. and A. G. Downey, they formed a Pastorate, to include all Free Baptist ground in Kings County, east of Centreville, but find themselves unable to maintain a pastor, unless they include the other Pastorate, viz.: Hall's Harbor and Black Rock Churches. They maintain a good Sunday-school. Since the organization of this church as many as three-fifths of those who have joined it have moved beyond its limits. It now numbers 97 members.

HALL'S HARBOR CHURCH has been without regular preaching since Bro. Millar left. No conference, no Sunday School, no prayer meeting, no report. Number of members: brothers, 88; sisters, 40. It is to be hoped they will have the labors of Bro. Babcock. There are those at Hall's Harbor who are loyal to Christ and the denomination.

BLACK ROCK.—This church, like Hall's Harbor, has been without regular preaching since Bro. Millar went to Yarmouth and Shelburne Quarterly Meeting. They maintain regular conferences; have a prayer meeting on the Lord's Day. Whole number of members at last report (1879), 88. If Bro. Babcock includes them in his labors, we may expect to hear favorable reports of them. It is but just to them, and to Bro. Millar, to state that when he left them they reported themselves in the best condition they had been in for four years.

In addition to these there are a faithful few of the Avonport Church willing to join with Canning or Brookville, that they may have Free Baptist preaching.